



# Manufacturing Footprint Strategy

## Making the Right Things in the Right Places

IfM Briefing Day  
Tuesday 21 May 2013

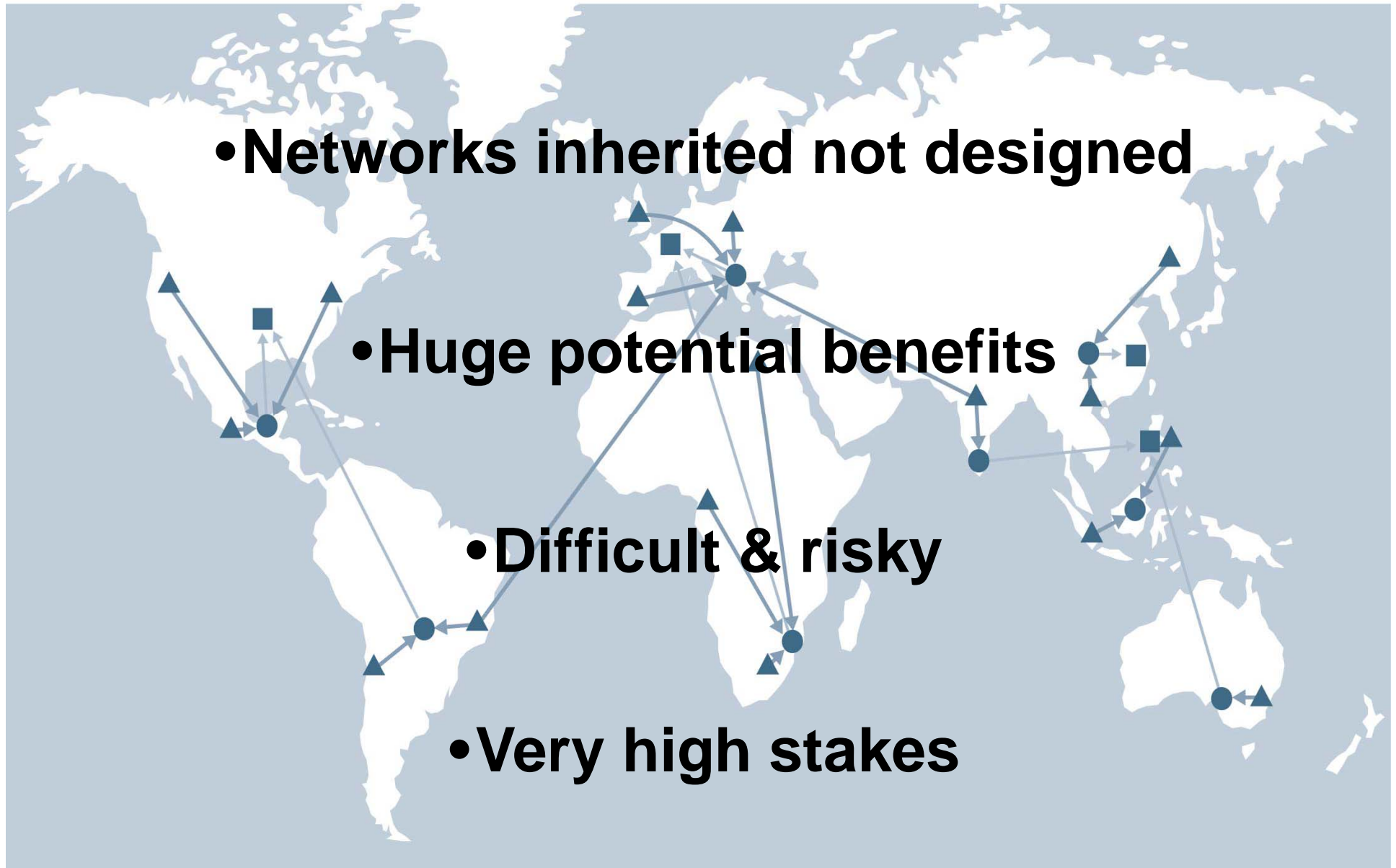
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- 1. Why lean, offshoring & outsourcing are not enough**
- 2. IfM toolkit & applications**
- 3. Global network design – theory & recent case study**
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## WHY LEAN, OFFSHORING & OUTSOURCING ARE NOT ENOUGH

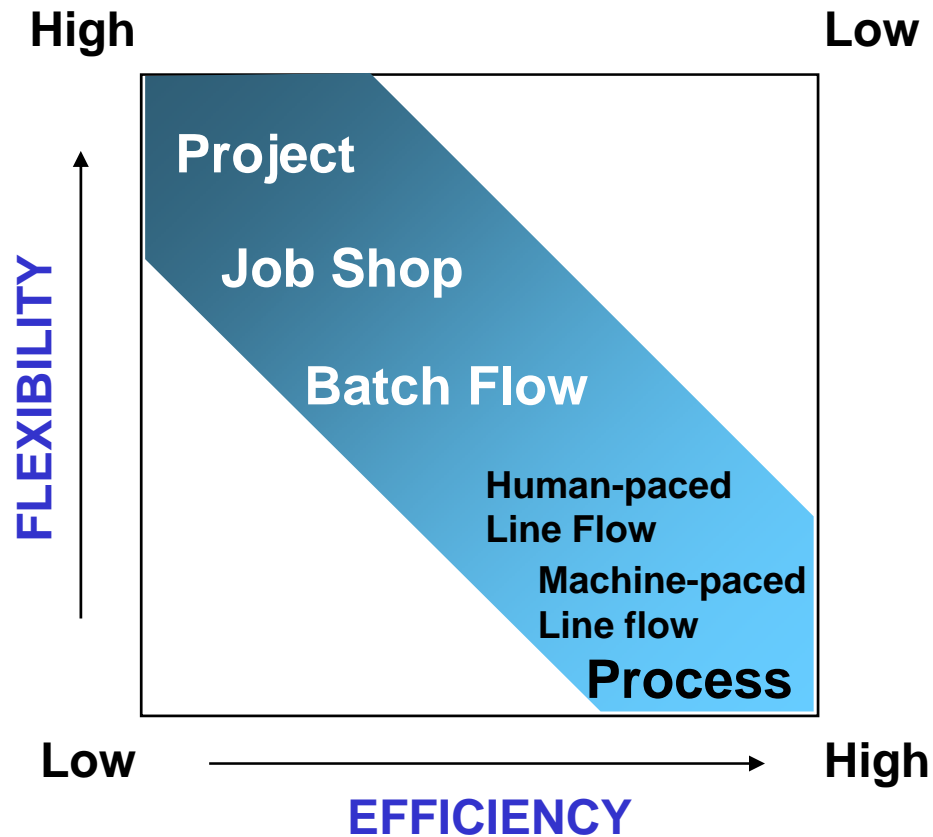


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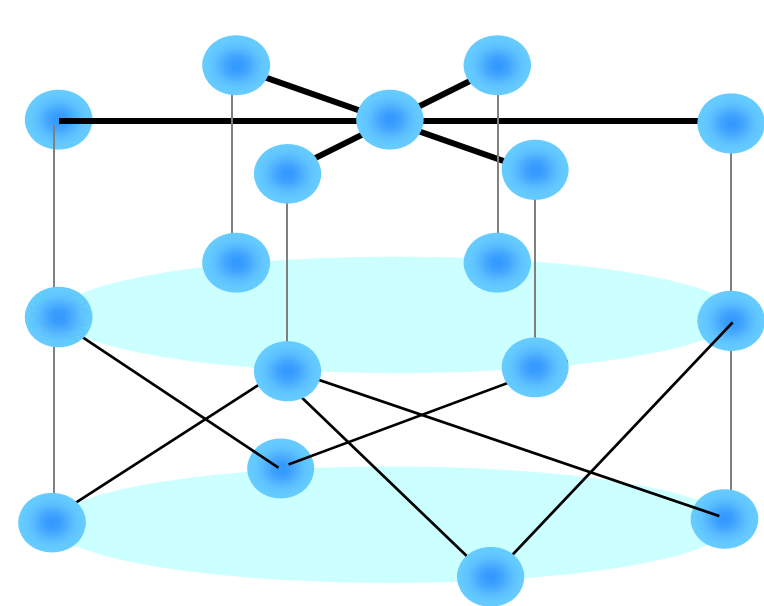
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# IfM RESEARCH ROOTS

From plant thinking...



...to network thinking

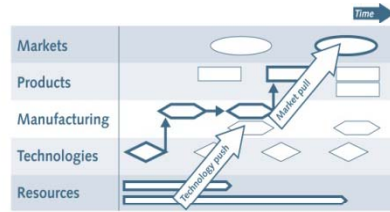


International Manufacturing Networks  
to Develop Global Competitive  
Capabilities  
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# OUTLINE OF IfM APPROACH

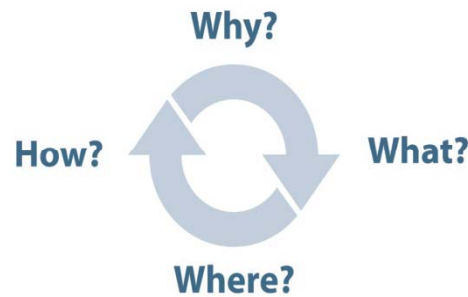
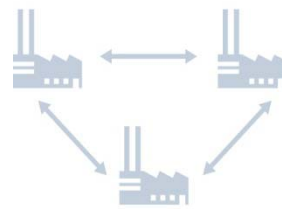
## 1. ROADMAPPING

Business imperatives  
Technology trends



## 2. MAKE-or-BUY

Production core competences  
Strategic & low cost sourcing



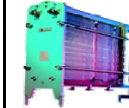






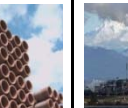





**4. MANUFACTURING MOBILITY**  
Defining executable projects  
Transferring production

## 3. GLOBAL NETWORK DESIGN

Number/location/roles of plants  
Network synergy

# SUMMARY OF APPLICATIONS

	Large Vehicles	Film Products	Food Equipment	Transport Services	Speciality Chemicals	Hydraulic Pumps	Electrical Devices	FMCG	Plastic Products	Petrochem	Aerospace	Plastic Toys	White Goods
													
Scale	\$40bn, 110 plants	\$4bn, 50 plants	\$1bn, 12 plants	£2bn, 17 plants	\$2bn, 21 plants	\$3bn, 14 plants	\$15bn, 200 plants	\$5bn, 20 plants	\$1.5bn, 45 plants	\$10bn, 60 plants	\$16bn, 40 plants	\$2bn, 12 plants	\$16bn, 45 plants
Outcome	10 year evolutionary strategy	5 year aggressive realign-ment	2 year turnaround plan	5 year strategy	5 year consolidation / pre-merger plan	Staged evolutionary strategy	Footprint design model	Continuous strategy process	5 year re-configuration plan	Ideal future network	Impact of new process technologies	Revised vision following turnaround	In depth process for value creation
Hard benefits	Significant cost savings	\$50-60m pa declared cost savings	Business survival	20% cost saving	Significant cost savings	Access to growth markets	Significant cost savings	Enablement of global expansion	Significant cost savings	Fundamenta l shift in network approach	Optimum return on investment	Scalable model for high growth	In process
Soft benefits	New processes across 33 SBUs	120 top managers aligned with change	Minimised business disruption	M&A integration framework	Refocusing of core business	Trained trainers for staged roll-out	Post M&A optimisation	Pre-empt need for periodic restructuring	Consensus across complex organisation	Distillation of key drivers	Filled key gap in corporate process	Clarity on core competences	In process

← 13 very different companies →

# CATERPILLAR CASE STUDY

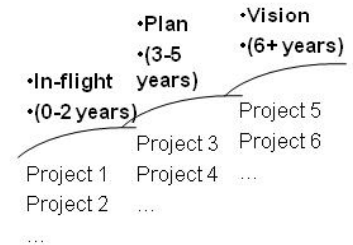
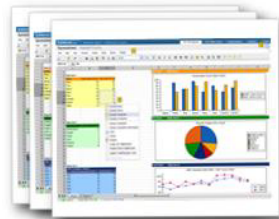
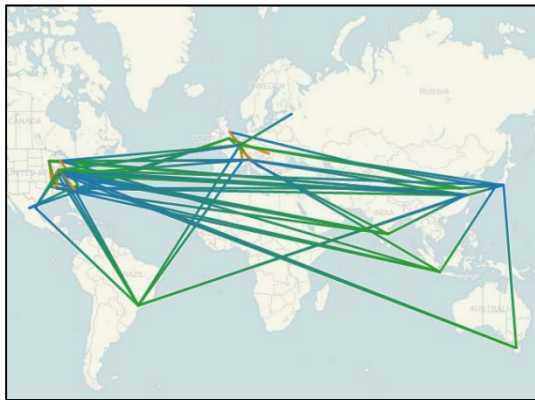
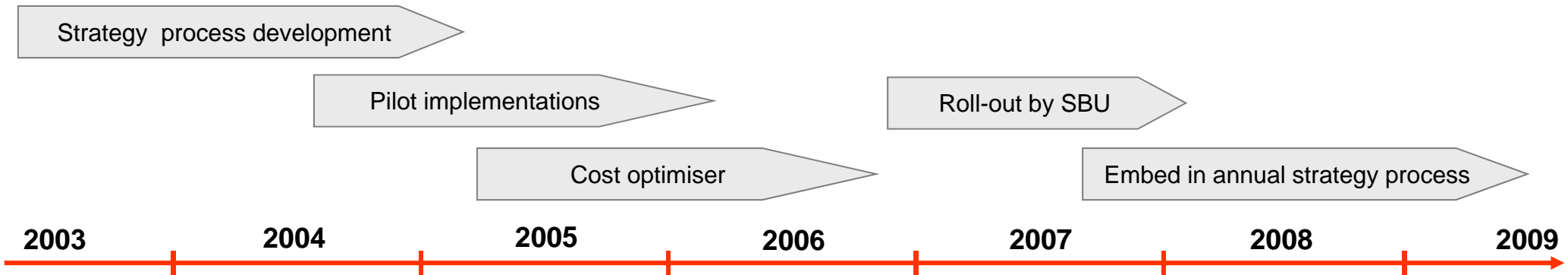


## Overview

- \$40bn sales, 100+ plants worldwide
- 24 month strategy co-development
- Implemented across 30 SBUs in complex organisation
- Evolution towards 10 year vision

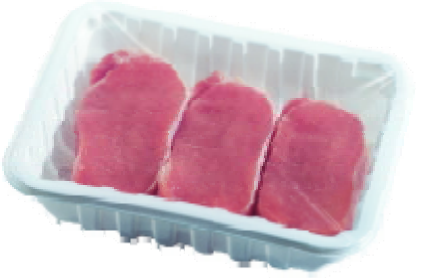
## Benefits

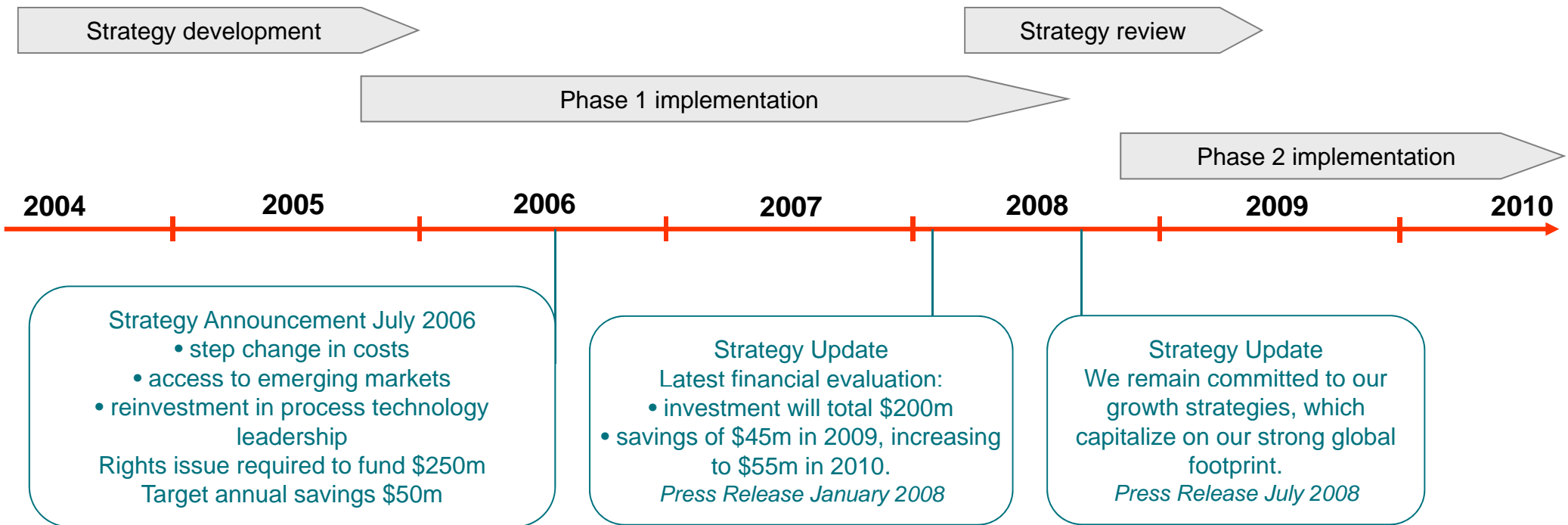
- New process & common language to engage the senior team
- Broke the default approach of reinvesting in the status quo
- Framework to guide ongoing investment





# SEALED AIR CASE STUDY

	<p><b>Overview</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$4bn sales, 50+ plants worldwide</li> <li>• 18 month strategy co-development</li> <li>• 120 senior managers involved</li> <li>• Phase 1 now complete</li> </ul>	<p><b>Benefits</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reinvestment in process technology leadership</li> <li>• Leading positions in emerging markets</li> <li>• \$55m declared cost savings so far</li> </ul>
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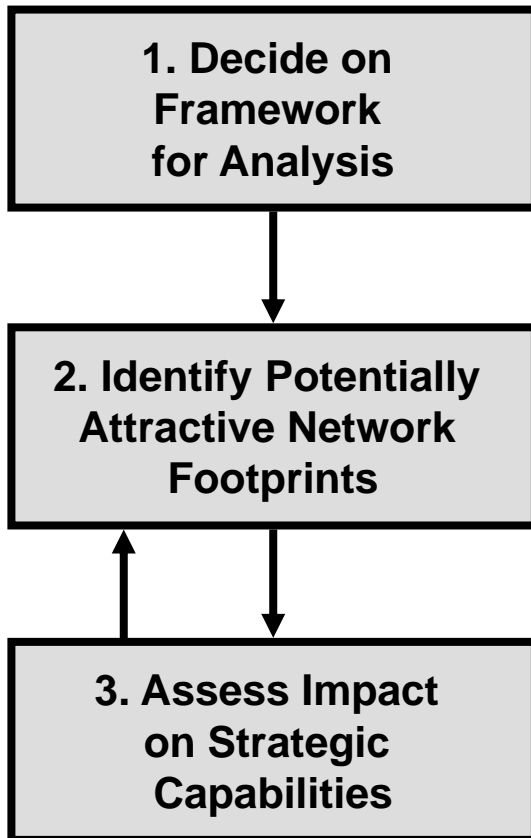


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# “WHERE”: USING THEORY IN PRACTICE

## High Level Process



## Underlying Model

### NETWORK CONFIGURATION - DESIGN ELEMENTS

#### Plant Disposition

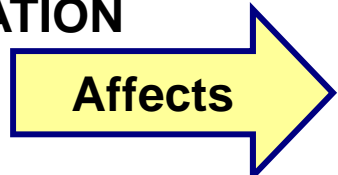
- Number / dispersion
- Locations

#### Individual Plant Roles

- Many inter-related factors

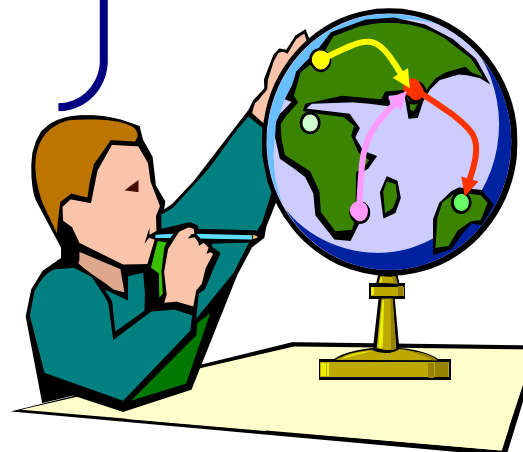
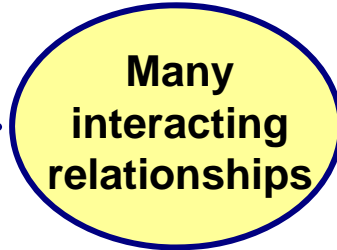
#### Coordination of Network

- Material flows
- Mgt control



### NETWORK CAPABILITIES - PROJECTED BENEFITS

- Customer Responsiveness
- Landed Cost
- Access to Resources
- Agility
- Innovation/Learning
- Control of Risk



## PLANT ROLE PRINCIPLES

PLANT FOCUS	PLANT LOCATION FACTORS
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• By product family</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Close to customer</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• By process technology</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• With access to skilled labour</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• By lifecycle stage</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• With access to low cost labour</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• By customer</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Close to other strategic resources</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• By volume vs. variety</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Co-location with existing capability or capacity</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Load shedding plants</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Co-located with other plants in campuses</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• By leadership role</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Co-located with product design teams</li> </ul>
<b>PLANT SIZE / NUMBER</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Within emerging / protected markets</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minimum size</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Not located in particular countries</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Maximum size</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Aligning production and sales by currency block</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dual sourcing</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Government incentives / low cost capital</li> </ul>

The relevance and relative importance vary with company context

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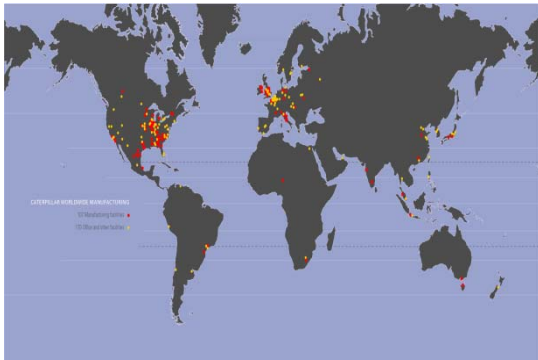
- Globalisation of markets
- Availability of low cost labour
- Supply chain fragmentation
  - Mergers & acquisitions
  - Information age

### To:

- Power shift west-east
- Sustainability pressures & green technology
- Convergent values & norms
  - Rise of the EMNC\*
- New policy perspectives on manufacturing

*\*EMNC = Emerging Multi National Corporation*

## IN SUMMARY



- **Understanding ‘why we need to change’**
  - Imperatives & roadmaps
- **‘What’ before ‘Where’**
  - Mfg core competences, purpose of partnerships
- **‘Where’: plant roles before location**
  - Creating synergy from difference
- **‘How’: making it happen**
  - Competences in manufacturing mobility

# ANY QUESTIONS

**IfM report available to download from:**

<http://www.ifm.eng.cam.ac.uk/services/overview/large/footprint/>

